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SPORTS**Get Your Haleiwa Train Tickets Early****TWO MORE CUPS
ARE OFFERED****Merchants Respond to the Call
for Prizes for the
Marathon.**

The response to the call for prizes yesterday was noble. Although the circulars asking the merchants to donate were not mailed until after the paper went to press yesterday morning, several replies have already been received, and each one was very generous.

The first one to come in was from H. F. Wichman, who offered a cup for the winner of the bicycle race. The cup has already been picked out and will be inscribed "Marathon Bicycle Race, March 14, 1909. Won by," and the winner will have his name put on the cup after he has shown his speed over the long course.

Another cup that has been offered is one by W. W. Dimond, who attaches a rather unique condition to the winning of it. The cup will be won by the man who finishes in the first six three times in succession. This condition shows that Mr. Dimond has great faith in this form of athletics and demands that it should be an annual event. The cup is a very handsome affair and is on display in the window of the donor's store on King street.

A Free Program.

The management of the Park Theatre has offered to give a prize, or rather many prizes, and to see to the printing and distributing of the free program, which will have the names and corresponding numbers of the runners printed on it. Every starter in the race will be presented with two reserved tickets for the Park Theatre.

The Art Theatre is also giving a valuable prize. Mrs. Bailey has offered a handsome medal for the man over thirty who comes in first. It will take the form of the Hawaiian coat of arms on one side with a suitable inscription on the other.

Other offers received yesterday were: Hawaiian News Company, a fountain pen; Palm Ice Cream Parlors, a big cake; B. F. Ehlers & Co., box of three negligee shirts, value \$9; N. S. Sachs, box of linen handkerchiefs, initialed; Gonsalves & Co. will give a sack of San Antonio flour, and H. F. Hill, the picture postcard man, left a five dollar gold piece with Mr. Vierra, to be expended in any merchandise the winner might choose.

Everybody Helps.

Everybody is doing all they can to help the good work along. There have to be pins to attach the numbers to the contestants, and when Mr. Blom was asked if he would contribute twenty-five dozen safety pins, he replied that he would give the committee anything they wanted in his store that could be of use.

F. A. Beechert came round yesterday to say that he would not run, as the doctor advised him that, on account of a bad place on his foot, it would be better not to contest. He stated that he would like to have his entrance forfeit go to the expense fund and that he was anxious for his friends to know of his withdrawal, as many of them are boosting him to win in the Star contest and he wishes no misunderstanding.

The band will play at the start. This was announced officially yesterday by the Supervisors, many of whom have announced their intention of witnessing the start and following the racers over the course.

No Hitches at Start.

Will Prestidge has been very busy with his stunt, which is to look after the starting arrangements. He has it figured down to a fine point, and there will be no possibility of a hitch. A line of rope and benches will be laid from the mauka corner of the bandstand to the corner of the Hotel street bridge. Behind this line the public may congregate to please itself. The space in front of the rope will be where the racers line up. From the mauka corner of the bandstand to King street there will be another line. This will give the runners a clear space to the street, and mounted police will keep the crowd back on the other side of the street and across the Iwilei road turning.

Through the courtesy of Sheriff Jarrett there will be a big squad of police out to keep order and prevent the crowd from interfering with the runners. The watch is changed at 7 o'clock, and the Sheriff will arrange for both watches to stay until after the race is started. There will be at least six mounted men and as many on foot.

A reporter on the Advertiser staff who is supposed to bring the steamers in on time, look after the weather and the waterfront generally, and who was recently married, is peeved. He states that people get him mixed up with Charles M. Albrecht, who was the first entrant in the race. His name is Charles C. Albright, and there is to be no more confusion. The poor man is being joshed. It is a great shame to josh anybody, especially a newspaper man.

Members of the Haleiwa committee are reminded that the most important meeting of all will take place at the Young Hotel tonight at half-past seven. There is much to be arranged, and everybody interested, as well as the committee members, are requested to be present.

ABOUT THE MARATHON RACE.

The race will start at 7:30 a. m. from Aala Park next Sunday, March 14.

The distance is about twenty-nine miles, and the finish will be outside the Haleiwa Hotel.

There will be a special train at the lowest rate yet known, \$1.50 for the round-trip to Haleiwa. The train will leave the O. R. & L. depot at 9 a. m., and will leave Haleiwa on the return at either 4 or 5 p. m., according to the convenience of the railroad company. This will be definitely announced before Sunday.

There will be a bicycle race, which will start five minutes before the running race.

Tickets for the special train may be obtained at Wall, Nichols Co., King street store, from A. K. Vierra.

The committee in charge of the race has chartered the special train, and unless a big bunch of tickets is sold they will be out of pocket.

Three splendid cups have already been offered and a large number of prizes.

Each contestant will have a number pinned on his breast, and a free program will state the name of the contestant bearing each number.

**PETERSON LANDS
A HARD WALLOP****Thinks Hines Is Sullivan and
Lets Go One That Floors
Eddie.**

If anybody doubts that Peterson intends to put it over on Sullivan next Saturday night at the Orpheum, they ought to have been in that same place and seen him go four rounds with Eddie Hines yesterday afternoon.

Of course, they wore pillow cushions on their mitts, but there was some slogging that went on there that was a wonder. Eddie is clever, but he made a bluff at getting peeved and slipped out a wad of hay-makers that made the air blue.

In the second round there was a terrific exchange in the corner of the ring and Peterson landed a mighty wallop on Eddie's jaw which sent the lighter lad flat to the floor. He was up in a minute, and Peterson apologized. "Excuse me," he said; "I was thinking you were Sullivan, and I let myself go."

Fans who expect to get a seat anywhere near the ring had better get busy. A glance at the plan at Fitzpatrick's place will show that to a very casual observer. The ringside plan is almost obliterated by black dots, and the lower part of the orchestra is "non est" as far as buying tickets is concerned.

This bout is going to be the best drawing card that Honolulu has seen for many a long day. The ill-feeling that exists between the two principals, their cleverness and the positive necessity that each has to win will make it one of the hardest goes ever seen in a ring.

Sullivan is working faithfully at Fort Shafter and is paying great attention to his defense and to his punch. There is one particular delivery that Dick is practising with, and he feels confident that it will put Peterson away when he sends it over on the bread wagon.

Hercules II. was out at Fort Shafter gymnasium again to work with Sullivan, and again did he wear his base ball body protector. Dick Sullivan states that this is a very effective scheme. He can put a hard slugger in against him so that he can practise defending himself without any fear of hurting his antagonist when he counters. This makes it possible for him to wade in and act just as though he were really boxing with Peterson and not merely practising with a willing sparring partner.

The two preliminaries are still the subject of comment and admiration down the Rialto. Many of McCullough's friends, and he has a big bunch of them, tout him to defeat Sharkey in an eight-round contest. They come and holler in your ear, they shout it very loud and clear, and they jingle money to back up their opinions.

Sharkey, on the other hand, has just about as many supporters, and it is expected that nearly as much money will change hands on this go as on the main event.

Betting on the main event is lively, with Sullivan on the long end of close odds; 100 to 95, 200 to 190 and 50 even have been wagered on Hotel street. It looks as though there would be a heavy sack for the stake-holders to take care of before the gong sounds on Saturday night.

**TENNIS PLAYER
ARRIVES HERE**

All lawn tennis enthusiasts will welcome the arrival from Manila of Mr. Edwin S. Gee, Pay Department, U. S. Army, who during the past two years has won every trophy of mention that has been offered, both at the Manila Athletic Association and the Manila English Lawn Tennis Association. Mr. Gee is personal clerk to Major B. B. Ray, Paymaster, U. S. Army, who arrived on the Siberia on Monday and who will be stationed permanently in Honolulu.

During the Philippine Carnival tournament, held in Manila during the month of February, Mr. Gee met and

defeated Mr. Norrie, winner of open tournaments in Singapore and Hongkong, and Captain Beasley of the Royal Artillery, one of the leading players of the English association in Hongkong. First place in doubles was won by Mr. Gee and Paymaster W. B. Izard of the U. S. Navy. This sterling player first gained prominence in open tournaments in Washington and Philadelphia, and met many of the Eastern cracks from 1902 to 1904. It is hoped that he will soon have an opportunity of meeting some of the local cracks, and the result will be watched with interest in sporting circles.

**ELECTRICIANS
BEAT TIGERS**

The Y. M. C. A. live wires slipped over a bunch on the Punchbowl Tigers last night in the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium by scoring 23 baskets to 11. It was a red-hot game from start to finish and the electricians had to work overtime to get the line working before the finish.

There was some excellent shooting on both sides but the juice producers had the better of this department and a defense that kept the jungle prowlers from doing very much damage.

The lineup was:
Y. M. C. A.—K. Klemme, c; A. Sinclair, rf; E. Klemme, lf; H. Nott, lb; M. Botelho, rb.

Tigers—C. Roza, c; M. Phillips, rf; A. Silva, lf; H. Faria, lb; A. Mendonca, rb.

Time of game—55 minutes.
Timekeepers—F. Franks, F. Crockett.
Scorer—T. Cunningham.
Umpire—J. Q. Baptist Jr.
Referee—O. P. Soares.

Sport Notes

Sergeant Barry and his aggregation of military ball-punchers will see what they can do with Will Prestidge's bunch of peerless ones at the league grounds next Saturday afternoon. Both sides are supremely confident of winning, and Sergeant Barry states that he will have a little extra length to his smile on Saturday evening. Poor old Prestidge!

Mike Patton has left the boiler-making business and has accepted a position as manager of a Hotel street resort. Mike is one of the best-known and liked of the sportsmen along the Rialto, and he is always a good man to see in regard to sporting matters of any kind. It is very possible that the genial Irishman will act as third man in the ring when Peterson and Sullivan argue the matter on Saturday night.

Bill Hurley has really gone. He left on the Siberia yesterday in company with Frankie Smith. It is not known how long Bill will stay away, but it certainly "Won't be long."

You fooled us once, Bill Hurley, You also fooled us twice; And if you'd thought the joke would last,

You would have fooled us thrice. But the call of the Coast was dragging.

And you had to go away, But we'll have a lotta for you, Bill, If you come back some day.

A. K. Vierra is very sore about the term "Poo-foo." He states that he is not in that class of artists at all. To prove it he perpetrated another would-be picture, this time of H. M. Ayres in the Marathon race. It is outside Wall, Nichols' store, and it is fierce. Get wise, A. K., and get Old Man Boisse to draw for you.

Dr. Hand is making excellent arrangements for the June Marathon that will be run under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A. He is starting the contestants out on an eminently sensible course of training and the runs that he has instituted are on a graded scale of distance. The genial medico will watch his men carefully and when the Young Men line up for the start of the hard race we may expect to see very good time made.

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